

Conditionals and Inversion

A. Mixed type conditional

Using the information given, make a sentence using **If**.

EXAMPLE: I've got toothache. I missed my last check-up at the dentist's.

I wouldn't have toothache now if I hadn't missed my last check-up at the dentist's.

1. I'm lost. I didn't bring a map.
2. Sam left the book on the grass and it rained. Now it's wet.
3. Billy can't understand what Madame Maurice is saying. He never made any effort to keep up his French after he left school.
4. We had the car serviced regularly. It's still running very smoothly.
5. I can't offer you any biscuits. The children ate them all yesterday.
6. I'm not you, so I didn't tell him the truth.

B. Inversion in conditional

Write sentences with the same meaning by omitting **IF** from the conditional sentences.

EXAMPLE: We would have won the game if Thompson had caught the ball.

Had Thompson caught the ball, we would have won the game.

1. Your boss sounds like a real tyrant. If I were you, I would look for a new job.
2. If you should need to reach me, I'll be in the conference room.
3. We would have won the game if Thompson had not dropped the ball.
4. If you had used a computer, you could have finished this work in half the time.